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TAGS: PFOR, TS, US

SUBJECT: MASMOUDI CONVERSATIONS WITH FOREIGN JOURNALISTS

INDICATING HSI DISSVCCR#IN U.S. WAS REASON FOR
HIS REMOVAL AS FONMIN

REF: PARIS 1385

IN VIEW REFTEL AND FACT MASMOUDI CONTINUES AS OF LATE
JAN 16 RECEIVED PARIS-BASED CORRESPONDENTS TO WHOM HE
CONTINUES REPEAT ALLEGATION THAT ONE OF IF NOT MAIN REASON
BOURGUIBA GAVE FOR REMOVING HIM WAS FACT MASMOUDI CONERDERED
PERSONA NON GRATA IN U.S., WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE USEFUL
IF DEPT REPEATED FOLLOWING MESSAGES THIS SUBJECT TO PARIS
FOR THEIR BACKGROUND:
TUNIS 41, JAN 4 (SECRET/EXDIS)
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